

life, like Omaha. So the...true, so the Union Pacific people said, okay, tell you what we are going to do, we're going to put the terminals out in North Platte and we are going to put the mainframes in Omaha and we are going to keep the people there with terminals in Omaha and we are just going to microwave and bounce things back and forth. Well, the exact same thing can happen if you don't vote this in. What's going to happen, you could get a ConAgra or anybody else put the mainframe in Council Bluffs, you could put it in Chicago, you could put it anyplace else in the world and you can put the terminals in Omaha. Well, along with that mainframe, wherever it goes in an exempted state, it's going to go to the jobs with the building programs, the maintenance programs, other jobs along with it; the same simple thing with the airplane. I think Senator Schmit or somebody else pointed that out. And if you look at that sheet from ConAgra, it says that Iowa is exempt, you know, the interstate travel and beginning 7-1-'87 they are not going to be taxed completely. Well, they can base a jet airplane in Council Bluffs, right across the river, commute back and forth, drive, take a little plane and fly back and forth, or whatever. But we are going to lose that anyway. This is the worst section not to vote for. You need to vote for this one. This is probably the best part of the whole bill because you are going to keep these things in Nebraska. You are not going to force them. Because they are so mobile, because of how computers work, because of how aircraft work, they are the easiest ones to put in another state or an adjoining state that they are exempt already. This is the hardest one to go back and tell the people on because everybody thinks we have buckled into them. We didn't buckle into them. All we did is face reality in this modern age of technology that otherwise they are going to put the mainframe someplace else, they are going to put the airplane someplace else. So I would ask you to vote for this committee amendment. And you may not like the bill. You may not like the other sections, but this is one that is needed more than the other ones. So I would ask the body to adopt this amendment.

PRESIDENT: Thank you. The question is the adoption of number four. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? A record vote has been called for. Have you all voted? Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: 27 ayes, 11 nays, Mr. President, on adoption of that portion of the committee amendments.

PRESIDENT: Number four is adopted. Move on to number five,